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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s): Vernon K. Boland

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ALLOCATING NETWORK RESOURCES AND CHANGING THE ALLOCATION BASED ON DYNAMIC WORKLOAD CHANGES

Enclosed are also:

X 4 Sheet(s) of Drawings

X An assignment of the invention to NCR Corporation

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Respectfully,

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#### **SPECIFICATION**

To all whom it may concern:

Be It Known, That I, Vernon K. Boland, a citizen of United States of America, residing at Lexington, SC, have invented certain new and useful improvements in METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ALLOCATING NETWORK RESOURCES AND CHANGING THE ALLOCATION BASED ON DYNAMIC WORKLOAD CHANGES, of which I declare the following to be a full, clear and exact description: